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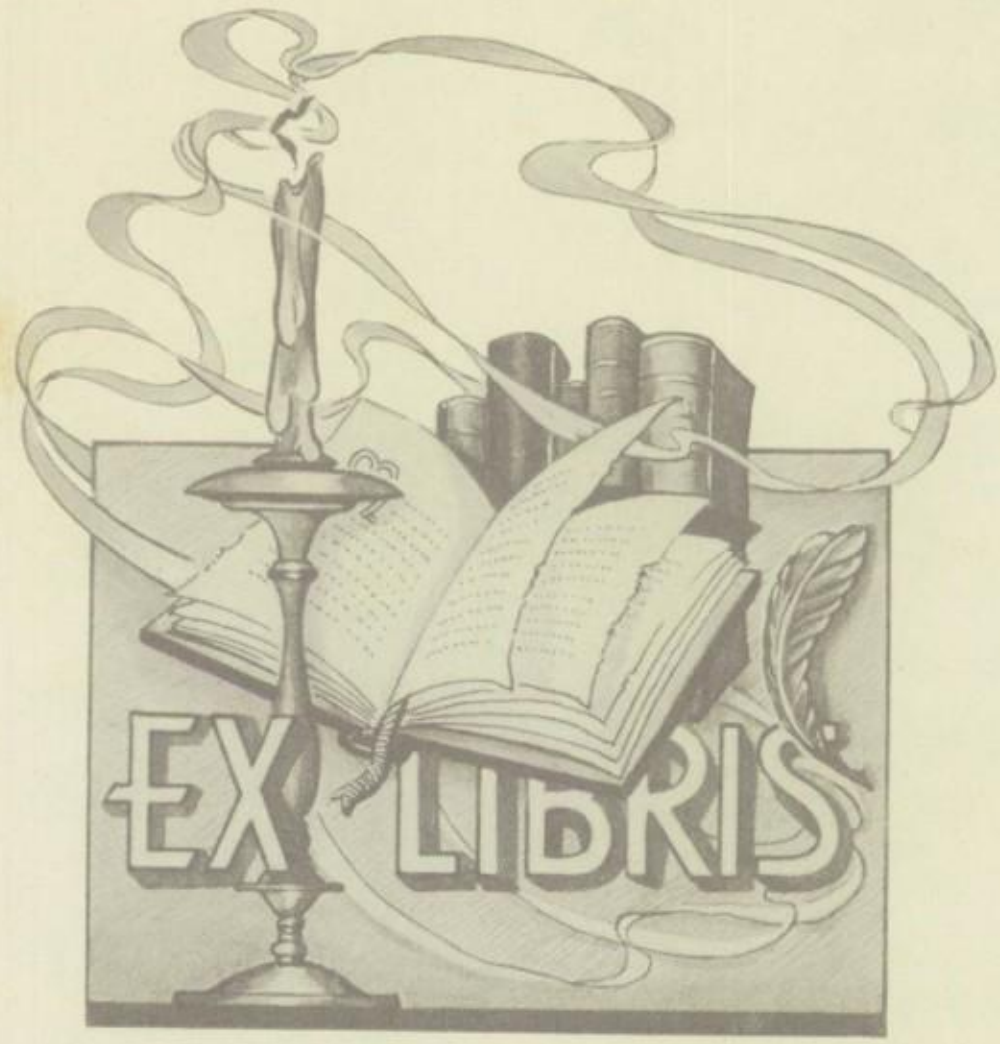

DEDICATION

We, the class of 1941, dedicate this year-book to Mr. James McFarland in appreciation of his loyalty and cooperation.

ADMINISTRATION

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Frederic C. Barns, Pres.

Frank Crumb — Philip Allwood

Mathew Farley — Alice Garsden

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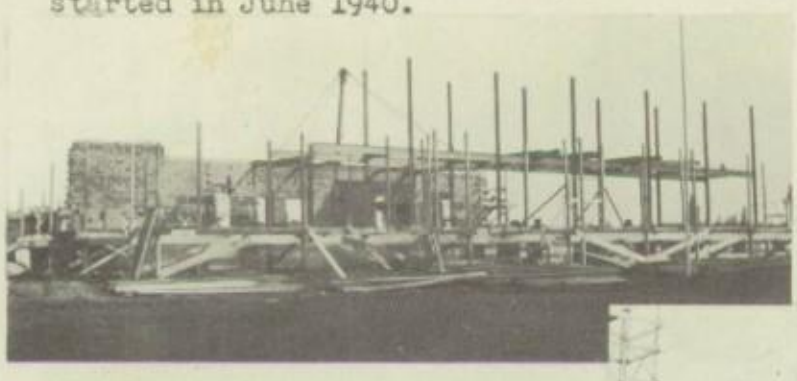
OUR NEW SCHOOL

Students and faculty are looking forward eagerly to the opening of school in September when we will occupy the new Junior-Senior High School. All wish to express now their sincere appreciation to the board of education for their planning and to the taxpayers for their farsighted interest in providing the funds to make possible this modern building. They have contributed immeasurably to the scope and quality of educatioal experience which can be offered to and enjoyed by the students of Westmoreland Central School.

Following is a brief pictorial record of the construction which started in June 1940.



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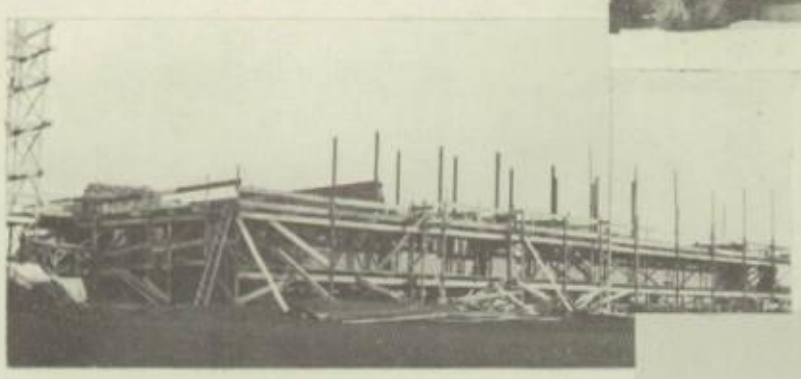

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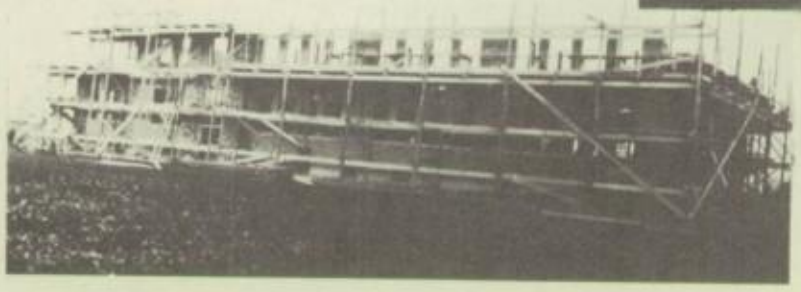

The building is completed. Fixtures will be installed during the summer and the school will be ready to use in September 1941.

Craine, Donald H.	Principal
Bell, Esther W.	Latin, Librarian
Bishopp, Mrs. Margaret A.	Commercial
Byrne, Francis A.	Junior High School
Dain, Charles A.	Physical Education
Fry, Sylvia C.	Art, Music
Hogan, Alice B.	Nurse
Kelly, Helen M.	Junior High School
MacClurg, Leone M.	Junior High School
McFarland, James T.	History, Science
Marcley, Ruth B.	English, French
Osborne, Mrs. Editha J.	English, Home Economics
Reniff, Roger B.	Agriculture
Warner, Edwin G.	Mathematics, Science

SENIORS

Mr. McFarland
Advisor

Alma Cook
Choir 1-4; 4-H Club 1-4;Assembly Bd. 4
Senior Play 4
League Play 3;
Craft Club 2
Camera Club 2

Hattie Abbe
Charm Club 3
Craft Club 2

Alice Davies
Class Pres. 4; Choir 1-4; Girl Scouts 1-4 Lib. Cadet 4;Class Sec. 3; Senior Play 4; "Echo" 4; Class Treas. 1

Mary June Barns
Choir 1-3; Orchestra 1-3; "Echo" 2-4
Prize-Speaking 3-4
Girl Scouts 1-3;Sr. play 4; Basketball 1; Assembly Board 2

Anthony Dzwonkas
Basketball 2-4;Choir 1; Class Vice-Pres. 2;Class Pres. 3;
Soccer 2-4
Prize Speaking 4
League Play 3

Jean Bazan
Transfer from U.F.A.
Spanish Club 2,3
Science Club
Big Sisters 3,4
Upson Orations 4

Vincent Hunt
Senior Play 4
Choir 3-4
Prize Speaking 4
Class Vice-Pres. 4
Quartet 4
F.F.A. 2

William Brown
Baseball 1-4; F.F.A. 1-4; Basketball 2-4
Sr. play 4; F.F.A. Sec. 3;F.F.A. Pres. 4;Class Vice-Pres.2

Lucille Kaelin
Basketball 1; 4-H 1
Class Sec. 2; Class Treas. 3; Sr. Play 4;Choir 1-3; Girl Scouts 1;"Echo" 2-3

Grant Klossner

F.F.A. 1-4; F.F.A. Watchdog 3; F.F.A. Judging Contests 2-4; F.F.A. Sec. 4; Sr. play 4; F.F.A. State Delegate 2

Florence Perkosky

Senior Play 4

Choir 1-4

Charm Club 3

Craft Club 2

Barbara Marsh

Sr. play 4; Choir 1,2; Vice-Pres 1,4 Treas. 4; Pres. of Sec. Club 4; "Echo" 4; League Play 3

Band 1,2

Edward Schlist

Senior Play 4;Prize Speaking 3,4;"Echo"4

Future Farmer 1-4

F.F.A. County Reporter 4; F.F.A. Radio Program 4

Stanley Misiak

Basketball 1,2

Choir 1

Arletta Seofield

Senior Play 4; Class Sec. 4; Class Pres.1 Choir 1,2;Basketball 1; League play 3; Charm Club 3; Craft Club 2

Madalyn Morrison

Charm Club 3

Craft Club 2

Helen Siepiola

"Echo" 3,4

Charm Club 3

Choir 3,4

Craft Club 2

League Play 3

Secretarial Club 4

Benjamin Nowakowski

Band 1-4; Choir 2-4 Orchestra 2-4; Boy Scouts 3,4;"Echo" 1-4;Quartet 3,4;Sr. play 4;League Play3

Ann Woods--Transfer from N.H.High School

Thespians 3,4;Sr.Play 4; Radio Play 4

Westmoreland Prize Speaking 4

SENIOR CLASS HISTORY

During the first three years of high school, we members of the senior class had eagerly looked forward to our senior year.

We held our first senior class meeting on September 17th, and elected the following officers: President, Alice Davies; vice-president, Vincent Hunt; secretary, Arletta Scofield; treasurer, Barbara Marsh; class advisor, Mr. McFarland.

During the year we have earned money by selling magazines, jello and Christmas cards. At the school fair, the Senior girls sold ice cream, candy, and soft-drinks. We held several bake sales, and we have also sold refreshments at basketball games. In October, we had a card party.

Jean Bazan and Ann Woods joined our class in October and January respectively.

Alma Cook received the honor of being elected chairman of the assembly board. In March, Alma was chosen to represent Oneida County 4-H girls at a State Convention in Albany.

Our senior rings arrived in December. The class, agreeable as always, decided to get similar rings.

On December 18th, we presented the play "Lena Rivers" at the Grange Hall. The play was a financial success.

Mary June Barns, Ann Woods, Anthony Dzwonkas, Vincent Hunt, and Edward Schlist were the Seniors chosen to participate in the Prize Speaking Contest.

The Senior Ball was held on June 20th. Class Night was the 21st, and Baccalaureate the 22nd. On June 23rd, the Senior Class was graduated. All of the Commencement exercises with the exception of Baccalaureate were held in the new school. Ours was the first class to have this privilege.

SENIOR CLASS PROPHECY

One day in the spring of 1941, the senior class went to visit Madame Ankara, the celebrated crystal gazer. Everyone had his fortune told and these are the events as they will be in 1951:

Miss Mary June Barns, a graduate of Smith College, has been prominent in the social welfare field. Her marriage to Mr. Arthur Morgan has been recently announced.

Mr. Benjamin Nowakowski has recently been appointed to Walt Disney's staff in Hollywood, California. In his high school days, he was artist for the Westmoreland School paper.

Miss Florence Perkosky has recently published her fifth song hit, two of which have already appeared on the Hit Parade.

The former Miss Arletta Scofield, now the wife of Captain Gordon Evans, is entertaining in honor of his homecoming.

Miss Alma Cook, a graduate of Cornell University, has been appointed head of 4-H activities in Oneida County.

Mr. William Brown has become a Physical Education teacher in his Alma Mater, Westmoreland High. During his school days, he was active in baseball, basketball, and other sports.

Mr. Stanley Misiak is at present employed as a railroad inspector for New York Central.

If you want to buy fresh eggs, see Grant Klossner, new owner of Chickendale Farm.

Mr. Anthony Dzwonkas has just received a patent on a new type of plane which he plans to offer to the United States Government.

Mr. Vincent Hunt is now appearing as soloist with Glenn Miller's orchestra at Westmoreland Grange. He expects to make a fortune (maybe!)

The former Miss Hattie Abbe is a devoted housewife. She is now making use of the Home Economics course she took in high school. (P. S. Her husband is constantly complaining of indigestion.)

Mrs. Stanley Misiak, the former Miss Ann Woods, is residing with her husband at her mother's home in Westmoreland. They are raising horses for the Irish Sweepstakes. (They can try, can't they?)

Miss Helen Siepiola is a secretary at the Savings Bank of Utica, New York.

Miss Madalyn Morrison has recently eloped with an unknown man. Up to the present time, we have no news concerning them We have heard rumors however, that they have fled "South of the Border."

Miss Jean Bazan, a graduate nurse, is planning on resigning her position in favor of marriage. We'll give you one guess as to who he can be (First guess: Bob Frey.)

Anyone desiring to buy a new Ford or a good used car (renewed and guaranteed), see Mr. Edward Schlist, Hecla, New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Davies announced the coming marriage of their daughter Alice to Mr. Vincent Hunt, her childhood sweeheart. For their honeymoon, Mr. Hunt has decided to take his future wife with him on tour with the orchestra.

Miss Lucille Kaelin, now in the Army Nursing Corps, is at the bedside of her wounded fiance Cal Bond.

Mrs. Al Highers, the former Miss Barbara Marsh, is now on tour with her husband, the welter weight champion of the world.

Mr. Frank Hryckewicz has just returned from a two year trapping expedition to the "Northermost Point in North America."

Mrs. Chester Giedris, the former Miss Norma Cline, has announced the opening of her new home in Westmoreland.

Mr. James McFarland has been appointed radio commentator to the United States from Anarctica. When he runs out of news, he manages to fill in his two hour program with talks about the penguins.

SENIOR CLASS WILL

We, the Senior class of Westmoreland School, County of Oneida and State of New York, being of unsound mind and disintegrating memory after four strenuous years, do hereby make, publish and declare this as our last and best will and testament, hereby revoking all former wills, bequests, and divises of whatever nature by us already made.

Madalyn Morrison leaves her ability to blush to Pat Barns.

Hattie Abbe leaves complete control of Home Ec. Room to Antionette Bartell.

Florence Perkosky leaves her giggles to anyone who wants them.

Stanley Misiak leaves his gift of gab to Carl Smith.

Anthony Dzwonkas leaves his art of making love to John Coyne.

Benjamin Nowakowski leaves his ready-made excuses to Glen Miller.

Arletta Scofield leaves her well manicured nails to Lyle Smith.

Alice Davies leaves her soft voice to Dorothy Wolfe.

Ann Woods leaves her lipstick to Florence Smith.

Mary June Barns leaves her marks to the Junior boys, so they can keep up with the girls.

Lucille leaves her love of dancing to Raymond Bazan.

Edward Schlist leaves some of his best arguments to next year's History C class.

Vincent Hunt leaves his curly hair to all Junior girls.

Grant Klossner leaves his ability to study 16 hours a day to Francis Stasaitis.

William Brown leaves his love for public speaking to Arthur Castle.

Jean Bazan leaves her candy credit list to Bertha Podosek.

Barbara Marsh leaves her athletic ability to Edward Wilczak.

Alma Cook leaves her prize cow to John Upham.

Norma Cline leaves some of her heighth to Betty Lauri.

Frank Hyrckewicz leaves his visiting ability to John Zakris.

The Senior class leaves the old Westmoreland High School to the grammar school students.

To James T. McFarland, our dear class advisor, the Senior class leaves a fond hope that his next year's class may be easier to handle than his last.

To the Juniors, the class which must strive to follow in our valiant footsteps, we leave our noble ability to get along together, our peaceful class meetings, and our tattered books. To ourselves we leave fond memories of our four years in High School.

Signed: Seniors Class '41

CLASS SONG OF '41

I

Now comes the parting of our ways,
And we must say good-bye,
Where we have spent many happy days
In dear old Westmoreland High.

II

We raise our voice in hearty praise
For our school and faculty;
So swiftly passed the pleasant days,
We sadly bid farewell to thee.

III

When about the world we start to roam,
And in life's tasks we take our stand;
Fond memories of our school-day home
Well take us back to Westmoreland.

Florence Perkosky

Motto: They conquer who believe they can.

Color: Red and gold

Flower: Red Rose.

THE CLASS MOSTS

The most attractive girl ..... Arletta Scofield
The most attractive boy ..... Bill Brown
The most popular girl ..... Mary June Barns
The most popular boy ..... Benjamin Nowakowski
The most likely to succeed ..... Mary June Barns
The most artistic girl ..... Florence Perkosky
The most artistic boy ..... Benjamin Nowakowski
The most dramatic girl ..... Florence Perkosky
The most dramatic boy ..... Benjamin Nowakowsk.
The most stylish girl ..... Arletta Scofield
The most stylish boy ..... Grant Klossner
The jolliest girl ..... Jean Bazan
The jolliest boy ..... Frank Hyrckewicz
The most athletic girl ..... Barbara Marsh
The most athletic boy ..... Bill Brown
The most domestic girl ..... Hattie Abbe
The most talkative girl ..... Alma Cook
The most talkative boy ..... Stanley Misiak
The most studious girl ..... Mary June Barns
The most studious boy ..... Vincent Hunt
The most musical girl ..... Florence Perkosky
The most musical boy ..... Benjamin Nowakowski
The most bashful girl ..... Alma Cook
The most bashful boy ..... Edward Schlist

JUNIORS

JUNIOR CLASS HISTORY

The Junior class this year is headed by the following people: President, Emogene Moose; vice-president, Florence Smith; Secretary, Betty Lauri; treasurer, Patricia Barns. Miss Marcley is the class advisor.

On October tenth, the Junior class had a hot-dog roast at Spring Woods, which was well attended. Guests were Mr. Warner, Miss Clarkin, and Miss Fry.

It was decided that the Juniors should sell stationery for the Personal Stationery Company of Camden, on which we made a thirty per-cent profit. A bake sale was held at Nelson's store in Rome April nineteenth. This money was to be used for paying some on our class rings, if we decided to buy them in our Junior year.

The Junior class is well represented in extra-curricular activities. Many of our members are on the basketball, baseball and soccer teams; four out of the five cheer-leaders are from the Junior class. Many Juniors are in Band, Choir and on the Echo Staff. The Echo's Editor-in-Chief and Literary Editor are members of the Junior class. We also have a Junior Girls' Trio, directed by Miss Fry. We are all looking forward to our Senior year.

SOPHOMORES

SOPHOMORE CLASS HISTORY

The Sophomore class, one of the largest classes in high school, has 36 members. The study hall is our home room and Mrs. Osborne is our home room teacher. The only new members are Karl Knudsen, Rita Stockbridge, Theresa Stockbridge and Orvilla Maxwell.

The class officers are: President, Harland Balch; vice-president, Vincent Sheldon; secretary, Karl Knudsen; treasurer, Irene Evans. The advisor is Mr. Warner.

A christmas party was the only activity of the year.

FRESHMEN

FRESHMAN CLASS HISTORY

On a bright, sunshiny day in the fall of 1932, eleven members of the present freshman class started school at Westmoreland. They were Alice Cheney, Bernard Dzwonkas, Julian Giedri's, Margaret Hicks, Carolyn Kunz, Harriet Millen, Forrest Robson, Ronald Spaven, Donald Tudman, George Wetherell and Lionel Wishart. Mrs. Abbott was the teacher.

Kenneth Brower, Esther Brown, Stanley Brown, Gene Gutheinz, William Haggas, Beverly Harrison, William Senior joined at the beginning of the fourth grade. Betty Smith entered in the fifth year.

In our seventh year of school, we were joined by Donald Bailey, Jack Castle, Hannah Foppes, Fremont Hurlbut, Frederick Juravich, Charles Keshler, Jack Keshler, Charles Kessler, Bruce Lenahan, Edward Podosek, Frank Siepiola, Mark Walker, Walter Yates and Betty Rutledge.

In the eighth grade we were joined by Lois Anderson, John Banas, John Federow, Jennie Kicinski, John Markin, and Arthur Morrison.

This year we were joined by Mildred Boyd, Mary Lamonto, William Norris, Stanley Sprague, Jack Woods, Betty Goering and Marie Teale. The class officers are: President, Lionel Wishart; vice-president, Donald Masner; secretary, Bruce Lenahan; and treasurer Edward Podosek. Our class advisor is Mr. Dain and our home-room teacher is Miss Marcley. The Freshman Class now has forty-six members.

ATHLETICS

SOCCER

BASEBALL

SOCCER

The Westmoreland soccer team of 1940 has an uneventful season, winning two games against six losses and one tie. The following boys were on the team: first row: A. Szwonkas, R. Evans, K. Spaven, A. Kaelin, W. Senior; second row: R. Wilson, J. Coyne, Coach Dain, B. Hemming, F. Stasaitis, third row: B. Dzwonkas, J. Giedris, S. Brown, D. Tudman, G. Wetherell, W. Yates and J. Zakris.

The scores for all the games follow:

	We	They
Waterville	0	1
Sherrill	0	2
Oriskany	4	2
Waterville	0	0
Camden	0	2
Holland Patent	1	4
Oriskany	5	2
Sherrill	0	1
Holland Patent	1	2

BASEBALL

Reading left to right, the players on the '41 baseball team are: F. Stasaitis, pitcher; W. Senior, pitcher; E. Pfendler, left field; J. Coyne, first base; C. Kessler, catcher; R. Evans, catcher; B. Hemming, short stop; L. Smith, third base; W. Brown, second base; B. Dzwonkas, sub; J. Rehm, sub; H. Balch, J. Zakris, right field; S. Brown, sub.

Westmoreland's schedule included games against Oriskany Falls, St. Aloysuis, Verona, Vernon, and Oriskany.

BASEBALL

The Westmoreland baseball team, under the management of Mr. Charles Dain, won the 1941 championship of the Oneida-Madison League for the fourth consecutive year.

The scores were as follows—

Team	They	We
Oriskany Falls	0	21
S. A. A. (extra innings)	7	6
Verona	2	33
Oriskany Falls	2	16
Vernon	2	30
S. A. A.	3	6
Verona	1	23
Vernon	3	21
Oriskany	5	13
Stockbridge Valley	6	9
Stockbridge Valley	8	25

The batting averages of the players who made this victory possible are—

Brown; 2 ..... .321
Stasaitis; P., C. F. ..... .483
Coyne; 1 ..... .413
Smith; 3 ..... .656
Evans; C. ..... .343
Senior; C. F., P. ..... .533
Pfendler; L. F. ..... .545
Zakris; R. F. ..... .333
Hemming; S, S. ..... .454
Dzwonkas; F. ..... .625

Pitchers	Games Won	Games Lost
Stasaitis	6	1
Senior	4	0

The number of home runs for the entire season is 14

The fielding was led by Billy Brown, second baseman. Billy will be absent from next year's line-up because of graduation, after playing four years of baseball at Westmoreland.

BASKETBALL

CHEERLEADERS

BASKETBALL

During the 40-41 season the Westmoreland Varsity won 5 games and lost 11, making an average of .454.

The varsity players are seated in the first row. The junior varsity is standing in the second and third row.

First row: S. Brown, J. Coyne, F. Stasaitis, A. Dzwonkas, W. Brown, E. Pfendler, J. Zakris

Second row: R. Evans, G. Wetherell, J. Giedris, C. Knudsen, Jack Woods, Bernard Dzwonkas and Harland Balch.

Third row: Kenneth Spaven, manager, Jack Keshler, Mr. Dain, Coach, Donald Tudman, Charles Kessler, Jack Castle and Grant Klossner, manager.

CHEERLEADERS

The cheerleaders who were elected by the student body last fall are: Patricia Barns, Margaret Beckwith, Patricia Hessler, Barbara Newman, Dorothy Wolfe.

Their uniforms are green corduroy skirts and white satin blouses, with white socks and saddle shoes.

They led cheers not only at the games at home and away, but also in assembly and several times during noon hour.

ACTIVITIES

CHOIR

BAND

4-H

SPECIAL MUSIC

MUSIC

The Choir this year has increased in number from thirty-five to forty-seven. Again under Miss Fry's direction, the music was sung in four part harmony.

The Choir has taken part in many activities during the past year, including Spring Concert, League Music Festival, Baccalaureate and Commencement.

In the ranks of the Choir, there are the Junior and Senior Trios and the Male Quartet. The Junior Trio is composed of Esther Brown, Lois Wood and Carolyn Kunz; the Senior Trio of Emogene Moose, Patricia Hessler and Virginia Moose. The Male Quartet is composed of Vincent Hunt, Barry MacDougall, Benjamin Nowakowski and George Wetherell. All these groups have taken part in local entertainments. The Senior Trio was recently guest at a banquet at the Rome General Cable.

Miss Fry formed a girls' Swing Club, composed of seventeen Juniors and Sophomores, to sing popular songs. This group also sang at the Spring Concert.

The Westmoreland School Band had its annual concert in May. It also led a school parade to the cemetery on Memorial Day. On June 6th, the band participated in a music festival at Sherrill with the other bands of the Madison-Oneida County League.

During each summer the band holds concerts in front of the school once every second week.

The members of the band left to right are as follows: Front row: Judson Wood, Robert Wilson, Betty Smith, Lucille Blake, Esther Brown, Carolyn Kunz, Harriet Millen, Frances Misiak, Beverly Harrison, Hannah Foppes; second row: Margaret Blake, Helen Fedor, Winifred Castle, Marjorie Foppes, Winona Smith, Lorna Kunz, Barry MacDougall, Elizabeth Thompson, Sterling Wetherell, Arthur Barns; third row: Beverly Zimmerman, Doris Hicks, Albina Dzwonkas, Jeanne Hessler, Ruth Wilson, Beverly Newman, Harold Storey, Warren Howlett, Edward Podosek; fourth row: Joyce Marsh, George Wetherell, Dorothy Wolfe, Patricia Barns, Patricia Hessler, Alfred Zakris, Benjamin Nowakowski, Robert Howlett, Bruce Lenahan.

THE HORNETS 4-H CLUB

The homemaking branch of the 4-H is composed of seventeen members. Elizabeth Morrison, the leader, is assisted by Alma Cook. Four of the members, Alma Cook, Mary Coyne, Lorna and Carolyn Kunz belong to the 4-H County Council. Albina Dzonkas, Lorna and Carolyn Kunz, are in the 4-H Band and are going to play Rally Day. Alma Cook, our assistant leader, had the honor of being the girl selected from Oneida County to attend 4-H Capitol Day. Lorna Kunz won a blue ribbon at the County Demonstration Day and then demonstrated at the District Demonstration Day. The Club presented a one-act play at the 4-H Play Day. Besides finishing our cooking and sewing units, we are looking forward to the summer when we plan to have many more activities.

THE WESTMORELANDERS

The senior 4-H agricultural club is composed of fifteen members, both boys and girls. Mr. Reniff is the leader of our club. Five of the members, Alma Cook, Kenneth Brower, Eddie Podosek, Forrest Robson, and Andy Smith are members of the 4-H Council. Eddie Podosek, Andy Smith, George Wetherell and Sonny Storey are in the 4-H Band. All the members are enrolled in one or more of the following projects: Swine, Poultry, Dairy, Forestry, Raspberry, Strawberry, Potato, Vegetable Garden and Flower Garden. We have a livestock tour and a weed identification contest planned and during the summer we plan to exhibit at the fairs.

SPECIAL MUSIC

In connection with the choir, three special groups have been formed. Their members sing at school and public functions, under Miss Fry's direction. The Boy's Quartet is composed of Vincent Hunt, Benjamin Nowakowski, Barry MacDougall, and George Wetherell; the Junior Trio is composed of Esther Brown, Carolyn Kunz and Lois Wood; and the Senior Trio is composed of Patricia Hessler, Emogene Moose, and Virginia Moose.

F.F.A.

ECHO

FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA

The Westmoreland F. F. A. elected the following officers for the year 1940-1941: President, Bill Brown; vice-president, Lyle Smith; secretary, Carl Smith; treasurer, Grant Klossner; reporter, Edward Schlist; farm watch-dog, Jack Keshler.

In August, Bill Brown, Carl Smith, Edward Schlist, Carl Thieme, and Stanley Sprague went on a judging trip to Delhi State School of Agriculture. On August seventh a group of the boys attended the Boonville Fair. The following members judged at the State Fair; Bill Brown, Grant Klossner, Carl Thieme, and Kenneth Spaven. In September, Bill Brown placed third, Grant Klossner fourth, and Edward Schlist sixth at the Vernon Fair. As a team they were first. The F. F. A. conducted a school fair on September twenty-seventh. In October, Mr. Reniff took a group to Morrisville Agricultural School.

The F. F. A. sold seeds this spring to replace some of the money withdrawn from the treasury for the Cornell trip expenses.

During the year various members have also attended several farm schools sponsored by the Oneida County Farm Bureau.

"ECHO"

The school newspaper, The "Echo", is published monthly and sells at 5c a copy.

The staff of 1940-1941 was as follows: Dorothy Wolfe, Virginia Moose, Mary June Barns, Helen Siepiola, Irene Evans, Benjamin Nowakowski, Patricia Hessler, Pauline Dixon, Edward Schlist, Patricia Barns, Francis Stasaitis, Edith Schlist, Emogene Moose, Alice Davies, Jack Rehm, Lorna Kunz, John Upham, Betty Lauri, Barbara Marsh, Bertha Podosek, Ernest Pfendler, Florence Smith, Antoinette Dzwonkas, Rose Marocchi; Staff Advisors, Mrs. Bishopp and Miss Marcley.

In June this same staff published the yearbook, "Year's End".

Six delegates, Patricia Barns, Helen Siepiola, Florence Smith, Dorothy Wolfe, Mrs. Bishopp and Miss Marcley were sent to the Empire State Press Conference, at Syracuse, November 8-9, 1940. The "Echo" in competition with all other mimeographed papers of New York State, was given a Class A rating.

LIBRARY CADETS

GIRLS - BOYS

LIBRARY CADETS

Very few of the stndents realize how important is the work of the library cadets.

The cadets reinforce magazines, repair damaged books, New books have to be catalogued and water-proofed. The library cadets keep a daily record of the books circulated. A record of all teachers and pupils who use the library is kept up-to-date. The cadets lend assistance to those unable to find their own material.

There are now four cadets working in the library: Alice Davies, Antoinette Dzwonkas, and Lucille Kaelin.

SCOUTS

The present enrollment of the Girl Scouts is twenty-seven. The troop is divided into two groups composed of the junior group, or new members and the senior group, or old members.

The senior group has passed its first aid tests and has earned its foods badge, while the junior group has passed tenderfoot tests and half of the second class tests. The girls are grateful for specialized assistance with these tests from Miss Hogan and Miss Bell. Miss Withiam also assisted Miss Fry the last three months of the school year.

Last fall Miss Fry and Miss Hogan chaperoned the senior group on an overnight excursion at the Utica Day Camp. Soon after the whole troop put on a program at the November P.-T. A. meeting in which they demonstrated a typical scout afternoon.

Nicknacks were made by all the girls for a bazaar held in the spring and the senior group wrote a play for the occasion. The purpose of this bazaar was to earn money for badly needed scout equipment. The Westmoreland Boy Scout Troop started in 1937. Their leader was then James T. McFarland, Sr. Later the leadership was given to Mr. Edwin Warner.

In the summer, the club goes camping and hiking. On most of these trips, the boys fish.

To help get money for these trips, the boys collect papers in the summer, and hold bake sales. Dues are paid, and prizes are

The troop and its leaders all feel that they are very lucky to often won. These help to finance camping trips.
be Americans, able to go fishing and camping, and to enjoy the outdoor life.

SECRETARIAL CLUB

PRIZE - STAKING

SECRETARIAL CLUB

The Secretarial Club was organized this year under the supervision of Mrs. Bishopp. The purpose of the club was to give upper class commercial students the chance to practice what they had learned. The members of the club are: president, Barbara Marsh; Helen Siepiola, Betty Lauri, Bertha Podosek, Antoinette Bartell, Joyce Marsh and Edward Wilczak.

PRIZE SPEAKING

The entire Senior and Junior classes compete with each other before the high school assembly for the prize speaking semi-finals. The four girls and four boys receiving the highest rating by the faculty are chosen to compete in the school finals in May.

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